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Hon. John Lindsay
Mayor
City of New York

Dear Mr. Lindsay:

I face the 'honor' indicated on the attached with some ambivalence and ask your help in acquiring some of the data that may help me decide how to respond.

By no means would I press you to make any new remark on your experience with the University of California; and I have too much respect for your busy life to ask more than a mechanical favor, if you happen to be in a position to offer it, namely--

to let me have copies or references on news reports concerning the Regents' (non)-action in awarding you an honorary degree

editorial comment on the same

any comment you may already have made yourself.

In any event be assured that I do not ask you to share responsibility with me in any fashion in this matter; but I would be grateful for the information I ask.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg
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re Lindsay Lyman*